

JUL 13 2009

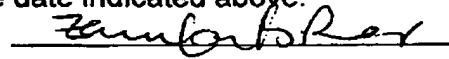
0001/0003

Application Serial No. 10/581,182  
Response to Office Action dated June 17, 2009

PATENT  
Docket: CU-4848

**Certification under 37 C.F.R. §1.8(b)****The USPTO Central Fax No. (571) 273-8300****Date of Fax Transmittal: 7-13-09**

I hereby certify that this paper (along with any paper referred to as being attached or enclosed) is being transmitted to the United States Patent and Trademark Office to the fax number and on the date indicated above.



Zareefa Burki Flener Reg. No.  
52,896

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

|            |                             |   |                           |
|------------|-----------------------------|---|---------------------------|
| INVENTOR:  | Katsuya Teshima             | ) |                           |
|            |                             | ) | EXAMINER: Hiteshe, Felisa |
|            |                             | ) | Carla                     |
| SERIAL NO: | 10/581,182                  | ) |                           |
|            |                             | ) | GROUP ART UNIT: 1792      |
| FILED:     | 06/01/2006                  | ) |                           |
| TITLE:     | Artificial Corundum Crystal |   |                           |

**Mail Stop Amendment**  
THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Madam:  
Attached is:

1. Response to Office Action dated June 17, 2009.

Please note that any fees or credits should be charged to our deposit acct. no. 120400 accordingly. Your assistance in this matter is greatly appreciated.

Respectfully Submitted,

  
Zareefa B. Flener, Pat. Reg. No. 52,896  
Attorney for Applicant

Ladas & Parry, LLP  
224 South Michigan Avenue  
Suite 1600  
Chicago, IL 60604